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In re the Application of: Michael W. Barry, et al.
Serial No.: 09/228,872
Filed: January 11, 1999
Group: 2722
Examiner: M. Wallerson
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR DISTRIBUTING PAGES TO
INDIVIDUAL PRINT ENGINES IN A MULTIPLE PRINT
ENGINE

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
Total Claims	23	Minus	23	0	\$ 9.00 =	\$ 00.00
Independent Claims	2	Minus	3	0	\$ 39.00 =	\$00.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$00.00

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. SEC. 1.116

This communication is responsive to the Examiner's Office Action mailed December 5,
2000.

REMARKS

Applicants have carefully reviewed the Final Office Action dated December 5, 2000.
Claims 5-27 are pending. Claims 5-13, 15-23 and 25-27 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. Sec. 103(a)
as being unpatentable over *Barry et al.* (U.S. Pat. No. 5,596,416) in view of *Matias* (U.S. Pat.